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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☒ Specification in Japanese [Total Pages **16**]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
- Descriptive title of the Invention
- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D
- Reference to Microfiche Appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure
3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC § 113) [Total Sheets **6**]
4. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages **2**]
a. ☐ Newly Executed (original or copy)
b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)
[Note Box 5 below]
i. ☐ **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)
named in the prior application,
see 37 CFR 1.63(2) and 1.33(b).
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The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a
copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b,
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accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by
reference therein.

6. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
7. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
(if applicable, all necessary)
a. ☐ Computer Readable Copy
b. ☐ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
c. ☐ Statement verifying identical of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

8. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & Documents(s))
9. ☐ 37 CFR 3.27(B) Statement [] Power of Attorney
(when there is an assignee)
10. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
11. ☐ Information Disclosure [] Copies of IDS
Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations
12. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
13. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)
14. ☐ Small Entity [] Statement filed in prior application
Statement(s) Status still proper and desired
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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

| Large Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Small Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------------|----------|
| 101 | 710 | 201 | 355 | Utility filing fee | 740 |
| 106 | 320 | 206 | 160 | Design filing fee | |
| 107 | 480 | 207 | 240 | Plant filing fee | |
| 108 | 710 | 208 | 355 | Reissue filing fee | |
| 114 | 150 | 214 | 75 | Provisional filing fee | |

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$ 740)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

| Total Claims | Extra | Fee from below | Fee Paid |
|--------------------|-------|----------------|----------|
| 11 | -20= | 0 | 0 |
| Independent Claims | 1 | -3= | 0 |
| Multiple Dependent | | 280 | 280 |

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|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|---|
| 103 | 18 | 203 | 9 | Claims in excess of 20 |
| 102 | 80 | 202 | 40 | Independent claims in excess of 3 |
| 104 | 270 | 204 | 135 | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid |
| 109 | 80 | 209 | 40 | **Reissue independent claims over original patent |
| 110 | 18 | 210 | 9 | **Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$ 280)

Complete if Known

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| Application No. | To be assigned |
| Filing Date | Concurrently herewith |
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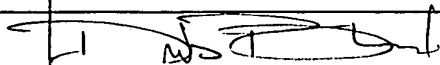
3. ADDITIONAL FEES

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|-----------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|--|----------|
| 105 | 130 | 205 | 65 | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath | |
| 127 | 50 | 227 | 25 | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet. | |
| 139 | 130 | 139 | 130 | Non-English specification | 130 |
| 147 | 2,520 | 147 | 2,520 | For filing a request for reexamination | |
| 112 | 920* | 112 | 920* | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action | |
| 113 | 1,840* | 113 | 1,840* | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action | |
| 115 | 110 | 215 | 55 | Extension for reply within first month | |
| 116 | 380 | 216 | 190 | Extension for reply within second month | |
| 117 | 870 | 217 | 435 | Extension for reply within third month | |
| 118 | 1,360 | 218 | 680 | Extension for reply within fourth month | |
| 128 | 1,850 | 228 | 925 | Extension for reply within fifth month | |
| 119 | 300 | 219 | 150 | Notice of Appeal | |
| 120 | 300 | 220 | 150 | Filing a brief in support of an appeal | |
| 121 | 260 | 221 | 130 | Request for oral hearing | |
| 138 | 1,510 | 138 | 1,510 | Petition to institute a public use proceeding | |
| 140 | 110 | 240 | 55 | Petition to revive - unavoidable | |
| 141 | 1,210 | 241 | 605 | Petition to revive - unintentional | |
| 142 | 1,210 | 242 | 605 | Utility issue fee (or reissue) | |
| 143 | 430 | 243 | 215 | Design issue fee | |
| 144 | 580 | 244 | 290 | Plant issue fee | |
| 122 | 130 | 122 | 130 | Petitions to the Commissioner | |
| 123 | 50 | 123 | 50 | Petitions related to provisional applications | |
| 126 | 240 | 126 | 240 | Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt | |
| 581 | 40 | 581 | 40 | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) | |
| 146 | 790 | 246 | 395 | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a)) | |
| 149 | 790 | 249 | 395 | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b)) | |
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